

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

The present Amendment and response is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Request for a Three-Month Extension of Time. Since in the RCE Applicants have requested entry of the unentered amendment of September 17, 2007, the current amendments assume that the September 17, 2007 amendment has been entered.

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